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**MIURA**

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**For: STORAGE ARRAY CONTROLLER WITH A  
NONVOLATILE MEMORY AS A CACHE MEMORY  
AND CONTROL METHOD OF THE SAME (AS  
AMENDED)**

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**Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
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Washington, D.C. 20231**

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**Examiner  
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**COVER LETTER**

Sir:

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FOR	TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED	TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE	CLAIMS ALREADY PAID	RATE	CALCULATION
Total Claims	13	13	(Over 20)	x \$50	0
Independent Claims	3	3	(Over 3)	x \$200	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$360	0
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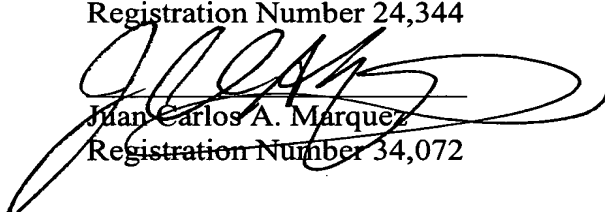
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☐ Assignment  
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